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TITLE	METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR SECURELY PROVIDING KEYS TO ENCODE AND DECODE DATA IN A STORAGE CARTRIDGE		

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**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312/  
COMMENTS ON STATEMENTS OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

This Amendment is in response to the Notice of Allowance dated August 18, 2010, in which the Examiner allowed claims 1, 3-5, 7, 8, 10-16, 44-53 and 61-75 in the above-identified application as filed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.